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- 1. MET WITH MOHAMED SCERIF AT HIS REQUEST NOON AUGUST FOUR. FONMIN JAMA BARRE (WHO DEPARTED EARLIER FOR LIBREVILLE) HAD INSTRUCTED HIM REQUEST US DO WHATEVER REQUIRED PRESERVE CONFIDENTIALITY DIPLOMATIC DPUDIZIUQA# BETWEEN OUR TWO GOVTS AND IN PARTICULAR FORTHCOMING VISIT TO WASH. OF SOMALI MIL DEL. SCERIF ADDED THAT FONMIN WAS DISTURBED AT NUMBER PRESS REPORTS SURFACING IN RECENT DAYS WHICH JAMA BARRE CHARACTERIZED AS QTE LEAKS. UNQUOTE
- 2. I TOLD SCERIF NO ONE IN USG WAS ENGAGING IN LEAKING CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL TO PRESS. SHOULD HE OR FONMIN HOWEVER CITE PARTICULAR CASE I WOULD BE HAPPY TO INVESTIGATE. LOUGHRAN

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